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SUBJ: MTN AGRICULTURE SUBGROUP CHAIRMEN

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1. EMBASSY DISCUSSED U.S. POSITION ON SUBGROUP CHAIRMEN
AS INSTRUCTED REFTEL WITH UKAWA (DIRECTOR, FIRST INTER-
NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS DIVISION, ECONOMIC AFFAIRS BUREAU,
FONOFF) MAY 15. UKAWA ADVISED THAT GOJ POSITION CONTINUED
TO BE PREFERENCE THAT ALL NEGOTIATING COMMITTEES AND SUB-
GROUPS BE CHAIRED BY SECRETARIAT. HE STATED THAT JAPAN-
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ESE DELEGATION GENEVA HAD BEEN GIVEN FREE HAND ON THIS

ISSUE. UKAWA EXPECTED JAPANESE DELEGATION WOULD PLAY LOW-KEY ROLE IN DISCUSSION OF THIS ISSUE. IF CONSENSUS EMERGES ON NON-SECRETARIAT CHAIRMAN OR CHAIRMEN, HE CONCLUDED, JAPAN WILL NOT OBJECT.

2. UKAWA ADDED HIS PERSONAL VIEW THAT APPOINTMENT OF PARROTE TO CHAIR GRAINS SUBGROUP MIGHT POSSIBLY BE USED BY UNCTAD TO ATTEMPT TO ENHANCE ITS ROLE IN MTN. HE ALSO INDICATED THAT, WHILE HE PERSONALLY HAD HIGH OPINION OF DONOVAN (AND MOORE), JAPAN WOULD NOT WANT CHAIRMAN FROM GRAINS EXPORTING COUNTRY.
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